IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

re Application of: Takahisa Nitta et al. rial No.: 09/436,637 Art Unit: 1746 Filed: November 9, 1999 Examiner: Y. Wilkins For: CHEMICAL SUPPLY SYSTEM : Atty Docket: 21776/0044 PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR § 1.136 AND FEE PAYMENT AUTHORIZATION UNDER 37 CFR § 1.17 Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231 Sir: Pursuant to 37 CFR §§ 1.17, 1.136, applicant(s) hereby petition(s) for an extension of time as follows: One-month extension of time to respond to the Office Action dated 01/15/02 (\$110.00 fee) XXTwo-month extension of time to respond to the Office Action dated _____ (\$400.00 fee) Three-month extension of time to respond to the Office Action dated _____ (\$920.00 fee) The Director is hereby authorized to charge the above-indicated amount to Deposit Account No. 22-0185. XXX If extensions of time under 37 CFR § 1.136 other than those provided herewith are required to allow consideration of papers accompanying this Petition, then such extensions of time are hereby petitioned. The Director is hereby authorized to charge fee deficiency under 37 CFR §§ 1.16 or 1.17, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 22-0185. A duplicate copy of this Petition is enclosed. Respectfully submitted, 0B/19/2002 SSITHIB1 00000114 220185 09436637

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